

VENABLE LLP575 7th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20004-1601Telephone 202-344-4000
Facsimile 202-344-8300

www.venable.com

TO:

**Examiner Ruth Davis
United States Patent and
Trademark Office**

FAX NUMBER:

(571) 273-0915

PHONE NUMBER:

(571) 272-0915

SENDER:

Michael A. Gollin

SENDER'S FAX NUMBER:

(202) 344-8300

SENDER'S PHONE NUMBER:

(202) 344-4072

SENDER'S ASSISTANT:

Allison Ruifrok

ASSISTANT'S PHONE NUMBER:

(202) 344-4834

DATE:

5/3/2004

CLIENT/MATTER NUMBER:

36749-200650

PAGES, EXCLUDING COVER:

37

MESSAGE:

Enclosed, as requested, is the entire filing of March 19, 2004, with the filing receipt, to expedite handling of this matter.

If you require assistance with this transmission, please contact the sender.

This message is intended only for the use of the individual or entity to which it is addressed and may contain information that is privileged, confidential, and exempt from disclosure under applicable law. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient or the employee or agent responsible for delivering the message to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution, or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify us immediately by telephone and return the original message to us at the above address via the U.S. postal service. Thank you.

\\ODMA\PCDOCS\DC2DOCS\1544924\1

118766

Venable Filing Number

Attorney/LAA: MAG/acr

PTO Due Date: April 15, 2004

Date Filed: March 19, 2004

TM Official Gazette Date:

Atty. Docket No: 36749-200650

Re: ORGAN ARREST, PROTECTION AND
PRESERVATION

Application No: 09/937,181

Patent No.:

Trademark:

Opposition/Cancellation No:

Filing Date: March 22, 2000 (TNT)

Issue Date:

Trademark Reg. No:

The following items were received from Venable, Washington, D.C., by the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office:

U.S. PTO FEES ENCLOSED

- ☐ Transmittal Letter
- ☒ Fee Transmittal Letter
- ☐ New U.S. Provisional Application (pages of specification/claims)
- ☐ Formal Drawings (sheets, Figs.)
- ☐ Invention Declaration
- ☐ U.S. National Stage Application of PCT Application
- ☐ Translation of International Application
- ☐ New U.S. TM Application (specimens)
- ☐ Rule 53(d) Continued Prosecution Application
- ☐ Substitute Specification
- ☐ Rule 53(b) Continuation or Divisional Application (*attach copy of specification, claims, drawings & declaration*)
- ☐ Priority Document-Cert. Copy of Appln.#: ; Country
- ☐ Date Filed:
- ☐ Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114
- ☐ Request for Reconsideration
- ☐ Application Data Sheet
- ☐ Assignment w/Cover Sheet
- ☒ IDS w/ PTO SB/08 a/k/a PTO Form-1449 (3 references)
- ☒ Response
- ☒ Amendment/☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Petition/Request for Extension of Time (one mo. ext.)
- ☐ Notice of Appeal
- ☐ Appeal Brief (*in triplicate*)
- ☐ Reply Brief (*in triplicate*)/☐ Request for Oral Hearing
- ☐ Confirmation of Hearing Petition
- ☐ Issue Fee Transmittal
- ☐ Certificate of Correction
- ☐ Maintenance Fee Transmittal
- ☒ Revocation and Power of Attorney with Certificate 3.73(b) (Assignments attached)
- ☐ Response to Notice to File Missing Parts
- ☐ Response to Notice to File Missing Requirements
- ☐ Response to Restriction Requirement
- ☐ Petition to Revive
- ☐ Sequence Listing - CDR Enclosed? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- ☐ Status Inquiry
- ☐ Request for Non-Publication
- ☐ Request to Rescind Non-Publication Request
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer
- ☐ TM Statement of Use
- ☐ Extension of Time (mo. ext.)
- ☐ Declaration Under 8
- ☐ Declaration Under 8 and 15
- ☐ TM Renewal Application
- ☐ Notice of Opposition (*Please list all documents in Other section*)
- ☐ Amendment to Alleged Use
- ☐ Other: (*Please describe below*)

Filing Fee

Surcharge Fee

Additional Claim Fee

Recordation/Indexing Fee

180.00 IDS Fee

55.00 Extension Fee

Notice of Appeal Fee

Brief on Appeal Fee

Oral Hearing Request Fee

Petition Fee

Issue Fee

Publication Fee

Maintenance Fee

TM Statement of Use

8 Affidavit Fee

8 and 15 Affidavit

TM Renewal Application Fee

Notice of Opposition Fee

TM Extension of Time Fee

235.00 Total Fees Paid

*If the Deposit Account was used, was a copy of this form sent to Accounting?

☐ Check Number 60304 Attached

☐ Charge Deposit Account No. 22-0261*

☐ Yes ☒ No

#530693 v1 - yellow sheet for filing of Amendment and Reply in response to Office Action (12/15/03) with Information Disclosure Statement - 3

P 602364

15743/HONORABLE COMMISSIONER OF PATE 03/19/04

CHECK NO 602364

| DATE | INVOICE NO | AMOUNT | DISCOUNT | NET AMOUNT |
|----------|------------------------------------|--------|----------|------------|
| 03/19/04 | 118766 | 235.00 | .00 | 235.00 |
| | A. RUIFROK-36749/200650-PATENT FEE | | | |

VENABLE, BAETJER, HOWARD & CIVILETTI, LLP • INCLUDING PROFESSIONAL CORPORATIONS • 1201 NEW YORK AVENUE, N.W., SUITE 1000 • WASHINGTON, D.C. 20005-3917

P 602364

15743/HONORABLE COMMISSIONER OF PATE 03/19/04

CHECK NO 602364

| DATE | INVOICE NO | AMOUNT | DISCOUNT | NET AMOUNT |
|----------|------------------------------------|--------|----------|------------|
| 03/19/04 | 118766 | 235.00 | .00 | 235.00 |
| | A. RUIFROK-36749/200650-PATENT FEE | | | |



VENABLE, BAETJER, HOWARD & CIVILETTI, LLP
Including professional corporations
1201 New York Avenue, N.W., Suite 1000
Washington, D.C. 20005-3917
PTO Account

15-3 00
540

P 602364

| DATE | CHECK NO | AMOUNT |
|----------|----------|-------------|
| 03/19/04 | 602364 | *****235.00 |

*****Two Hundred Thirty-Five & 00/100

PAY
TO THE
ORDER
OF

HONORABLE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS & TRADEMARKS

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

(TWO SIGNATURES REQUIRED OVER \$3,500)

HONORABLE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

⑈602364⑈ ⑈054000030⑈ 25313169⑈

Appr use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0851-0032
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

Complete if Known

Application Number 09/937,181
Filing Date March 22, 2000
First Named Inventor Geoffrey P. DOBSON
Examiner Name Ruth A. Davis
Group / Art Unit 1851
Attorney Docket No. 36749-200650

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 235.00

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any over payments to:

Deposit
Account
Number

22-0251

Deposit
Account
Name

- ☒ Charge Any Additional Fee Required
Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17
☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☐ Payment Enclosed:

- ☒ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|----------|
| 1001 | 770 | 2001 | 385 | Utility filing fee | |
| 1002 | 340 | 2002 | 170 | Design filing fee | |
| 1003 | 530 | 2003 | 265 | Plant filing fee | |
| 1004 | 770 | 2004 | 385 | Reissue filing fee | |
| 1005 | 160 | 2005 | 80 | Provisional filing fee | |

SUBTOTAL (1)

(\$ 0.00)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

| Total Claims | Independent Claims | Multiple Dependent | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|----------|
| 30 | 66 | | 0 | X | 0 |
| 3 | 5 | | 0 | X | 0 |
| | | | 0 | X | 0 |

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|--|----------|
| 1202 | 18 | 2202 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 | |
| 1201 | 86 | 2201 | 43 | Independent claims in excess of 3 | |
| 1203 | 290 | 2204 | 145 | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid | |
| 1204 | 86 | 2204 | 43 | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent | |
| 1205 | 18 | 2205 | 9 | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent | |

SUBTOTAL (2)

(\$ 0.00)

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Fee Code | Large Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee Code | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--|----------|
| 1051 | 130 | 2051 | 65 | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | |
| 1052 | 50 | 2052 | 25 | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | |
| 1053 | 130 | 1053 | 130 | Non-English specification | |
| 1812 | 2,620 | 1812 | 2,520 | For filing a request for reexamination | |
| 1804 | 920* | 1804 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
| 1805 | 1,840* | 1805 | 1,840* | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | |
| 1251 | 110 | 2215 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | 55.00 |
| 1252 | 420 | 2252 | 210 | Extension for reply within second month | |
| 1253 | 850 | 2253 | 475 | Extension for reply within third month | |
| 1254 | 1,480 | 2254 | 740 | Extension for reply within fourth month | |
| 1255 | 2010 | 2255 | 1005 | Extension for reply within fifth month | |
| 1401 | 330 | 2401 | 165 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 1402 | 330 | 2402 | 165 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 1403 | 290 | 2403 | 145 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 1451 | 1,510 | 1451 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 1452 | 110 | 2452 | 55 | Petition to revive - unavoidable | |
| 1453 | 1,330 | 2453 | 665 | Petition to revive - unintentional | |
| 1501 | 1,330 | 2501 | 665 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 1502 | 480 | 2502 | 240 | Design issue fee | |
| 1503 | 640 | 25403 | 320 | Plant issue fee | |
| 1480 | 130 | 1460 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 1807 | 50 | 1807 | 50 | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q) | |
| 1808 | 180 | 1808 | 180 | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt | 180.00 |
| 8021 | 40 | 8021 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | |
| 1809 | 770 | 2809 | 385 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a)) | |
| 1810 | 770 | 2810 | 385 | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b)) | |
| 1801 | 770 | 2801 | 385 | Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | |
| 1802 | 900 | 1802 | 900 | Request for expedited examination of a design application | |

Other fee (specify) _____

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3)

(\$ 235.00)

SUBMITTED BY

| Name (Print/Type) | Michael J. Gollub | Registration No. Attorney/Agent) | 31,957 | Telephone | (202) 344-4072 |
|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|--------|-----------|----------------|
| Signature | | | | Date | March 19, 2004 |

VENABLE
ATTORNEYS AT LAW

PC Docs No. 530898v1

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.
SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, Mail Stop Patent Application, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

OFFICIAL

In re application of: Geoffrey P. DOBSON et al.

Appl. No. 09/937,181

Confirmation No. 6148

Int'l Filing Date March 22, 2000

For: ORGAN ARREST, PROTECTION AND
PRESERVATION

Art Unit: 1651

Examiner: Ruth A. Davis

Atty. Docket No. 36749-200650

Customer No.

22-0261

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 15, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.